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COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor David Dermer and
Members of the City Commission

Date: September 8, 2004

From: Jorge M. Gonzalez
City Manager

**Subject: REPORT OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY
AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON JULY 26, 2004.**

A meeting of the Neighborhood / Community Affairs Committee was held on July 26, 2004 at 2:30 p.m. in the Mayor's Conference Room. Commissioners in attendance: Matti Herrera Bower, Saul Gross, and Richard L. Steinberg. City staff in attendance: Vivian Guzman, Neighborhood Services Director; Raul Aguila, First Assistant City Attorney; Max Sklar, Cultural Affairs and Tourism Assistant Director; Robert Halfhill, Public Works Assistant Director; Kent Bonde, Redevelopment Coordinator; Dennis Leyva, Redevelopment Specialist; Lorna Mejia, Assistant to Commissioner Bower; Dolores Mejia, Assistant to Commissioner Steinberg, and Randi MacBride, Office Assistant.

Others in attendance are listed in the attached sign-in sheet.

OLD BUSINESS

1. **DISCUSSION REGARDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE III "AGENCIES, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES," SECTION 2-22(5) THEREOF ESTABLISHING TERM LIMITS OF BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS, BY PROVIDING THAT SAID TERM LIMITS SHOULD NOT INCLUDE TIME SERVED AS A RESULT OF HAVING FILLED A VACANCY; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER, SEVERABILITY, CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

ACTION: The item was deferred to the next Neighborhood/Community Affairs Committee meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

2. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE REBRANDING EFFORTS FOR THE ELECTROWAVE.**

ACTION: There was no action taken on this item as it was only an information session prior to its presentation at the next meeting of the full Commission.

3. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE PLACEMENT OF A COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE IN**

THE VICTORY GARDEN, HONORING THE LATE JOSEPH VILLARI.

ACTION: The Committee moved to accept the wording of the plaque as amended.

4. DISCUSSION REGARDING SARMIENTO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING.

ACTION: The Committee moved that this project, as it is presented cannot proceed. When there is a “Call to Artists” in the future, Mr. Steinbacher may certainly submit his work.

Attachments

JMG/RCM/VPg/rfm